

COMMENT OF  
THE DAY

Wooing India

WHEN Mr. Nehru says India has no intention of joining any camp in pursuit of a cold war, or becoming entangled in any military alliance for the protection of world peace, the declaration can be accepted as an unequivocal expression of national policy. Mr. Nehru is a pure neutralist; he believes not only in the theory, but the practicability of neutralism. To that extent the visit of Marshal Bulganin and Mr. Khrushchev to India possesses no special significance.

But the Soviet leaders are making no mere courtesy call. There is a very definite purpose behind their presence in India calling for the careful attention of the West. It gives the Soviet Union a firmer diplomatic status in the sub-continent and it holds out the promise of new economic relations between India and Russia.

This at first sight may appear to be an innocuous development, but to the West it is a form of gentle penetration which could have far-reaching effects. India's neutralism in her international relations must to some extent be affected by her membership in the British Commonwealth; so too is the Commonwealth susceptible to any substantial trade agreements between India and Russia.

FOR Britain and her other Commonwealth partners the most disconcerting possibility of the Bulganin-Khrushchev visit is an Indo-Soviet arrangement which enables Russia to give a disproportionate amount of assistance in India's industrial development. It would create an opportunity for the Soviets to exploit their classical method of infiltration and would simultaneously bolster their diplomatic influence from the Eastern Mediterranean to China.

It is the danger, it may not materialise. Mr. Nehru believes in practical co-existence, but he is first and foremost an intense patriot and a nationalist, and is not likely to surrender to the blandishments of his Russian guests. Nevertheless his position is not an easy one. His country's urgent need for economic development, especially in the industrial sphere, brings heavy pressure to bear on national policy, subjecting it to expediency at the expense of judiciousness.

It is not suggested that Mr. Nehru's dilemma is so great that he will be forced to do a deal with the Russians against his better judgment, but it is highly unlikely that the Soviet leaders will return to Moscow without taking with them some practical fruits from their visit. And they will be quite satisfied for the time being, if they can obtain a firm economic foothold in Middle Asia.

But whether or not Bulganin and Khrushchev can pin Nehru down to any trade pact, their appearance in India, and later Afghanistan, strengthens the Soviets' diplomatic offensive, which began in recent months in the Middle East. And in India the Communists and their fellow-travellers must gain in prestige.

All this is disturbing to the West. The Russians have undoubtedly obtained the diplomatic initiative and are exploiting it with skill and precedence. But there is no reason why Britain and her associates should allow the Soviets to make all the running. India is part of the Commonwealth, and if the Commonwealth cares to exert itself, it has plenty of opportunity for matching any assistance offered which the Russians may make to India.

Macmillan  
Proposes

ALLIANCE FOR PEACE  
New Middle East Defence Organisation Launched At Bagdad

'WE CAN  
WORK  
MIRACLES'

Bagdad, Nov. 21. Britain today proposed an alliance between the technical skills of the West and the oil wealth of the Middle East to bring peace and prosperity to this vital desert flank of the Atlantic alliance.

The British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Harold Macmillan, told the inaugural meeting of the Middle East Defence Organisation Council such an alliance would "work miracles in health, human welfare, productivity and the enrichment of civilisation."

Speakers of all five nations in MEDO—Britain, Turkey, Persia, Pakistan and Iraq—stressed the urgency of economic and military co-operation in the area and expressed the hope that the United States would join the Bagdad pact linking them.

The United States had already decided on military and political liaison with the pact and had four observers at the secret meetings which followed this morning's opening session at which Mr. Macmillan and the Premiers of the other four countries made policy speeches. Mr. Adnan Menderes of Turkey, Mr. Nuri Al Said of Iraq and Mr. Hussein Ali of Persia in their speeches also stressed the urgency of a solution for the Arab-Israeli problem, to stabilise the Middle East.

Mr. Macmillan suggested two aims to the council to make the region's peoples safe from aggression and to resolve to assist one another in economic and social development and welfare.

He said: "no country however great and powerful can stand alone or survive in economic isolation, or maintain decent living standards without the help of friends."

He hoped their association would prove "acceptable as a pattern for co-operation with other states in the Middle East."

The massive influence and support of the United States will add strength, and I look forward to the consolidation of their association with us."

Mr. Macmillan said afterwards the session was "highly successful."

The Turkish Premier welcomed the Eden mediation plan as a constructive approach to the Israeli problem.

The strongest words on this issue were uttered by Premier Nuri, who said "Iraq will not hesitate to use her resources for the assistance of any Arab state subjected to Israeli aggression, in accordance with her Arab League obligations and based on article 51 of the United Nations Charter" (the right of individual or collective self-defence).

This was taken by observers to be said with an eye to Egypt's criticisms.

THE DUKE CORRECTS  
FILM MAKERS  
'Not Accurate'—So They Re-draft

London, Nov. 21. Scriptwriters for a newly-released British war film began re-drafting a scene today after the Duke of Edinburgh saw the film at a premiere and said it was not quite accurate.

The film, "Cockleshell Heroes", tells of a 1942 commando raid in which Royal Marines in two-man canoes, slipped into a French harbour and blew up German cargo ships by placing mines on their hulls.

The Admiralty and numerous technical advisers, including the leader of the attack himself, apparently failed to tell the scriptwriters the real reason behind the film.

After seeing the film at its premiere, the Duke commented: "Jolly good film. But I suppose you chaps do know why this raid was really made? I am surprised you did not go the whole way and tell the world the whole reason."

The producer said they had been told the raid was carried out to stop fast German ships from breaking the British blockade.

"Not just that," replied the Duke. "Those ships were to take radar equipment to the Japanese. (The Japanese had no radar then.) That equipment had to be sunk. You ought to explain it."

The producer immediately ordered a new scene shot to explain it. The shooting will take two days and cost about £2,000.—United Press.

CHARGED WITH  
KIDNAPPING  
EMPLOYER'S WIFE

Calcutta, Nov. 21. A court today refused bond for a Pakistani butler charged with kidnapping his employer's wife. The butler claims the wife seduced him and forced her attentions on him.

The butler, Habibur Rahman, was refused bail at a hearing on Saturday after an investigating officer charged that if he were granted he would flee to Pakistan or "prejudice" prosecution witnesses. The trial was postponed.

Rahman's lawyer told the Barrackpore court that Mrs. Edna Dixon made advances to her butler while her husband was at the factory. Rahman tried to discourage Mrs. Dixon's infatuation, the lawyer said, but she persisted and suggested they go to Madras last August for a little privacy, the lawyer said.

When they were discovered in a Madras hotel in Madras a week later, Mrs. Dixon told her husband she had no idea how she got there.—United Press.

Priests Gaoled  
For Smuggling

Cairo, Nov. 21. Two black-robed Maronite priests were sentenced by a high military tribunal today to three years' hard labour in prison for attempting to smuggle \$50,000 out of Egypt.

At the same trial, a businessman, Ahmed Mansour, received a total sentence of ten years in prison on two separate indictments, while the others were sentenced to lesser terms.—United Press.

Air Hostess Shot By Jilted Lover

Seattle, Nov. 21. A 25-year-old airline stewardess was shot and killed aboard a United Airlines plane at the Seattle-Tacoma airport this afternoon by her jilted lover, Miles later he shot himself.

Bob Klendemon, of New York, boarded a United Airlines plane bound for Los Angeles shortly before five o'clock and pushed his former girlfriend, Miss Sally Stone, of Seattle, into the aisle.

He fired three shots through the chest.

Another flight, 678 stewardess Miss Marian Garland, told police that the shooting probably was the result of a love quarrel. According to Miss Garland, Klendemon was with Miss Stone last night when she was carrying a suitcase.

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SERGEANT SHOT  
DEAD: NEW  
CYPRUS TENSION

Nicosia, Nov. 21. Cyprus terrorists killed a second British sergeant tonight in a fresh outbreak of shooting.

The sergeant was fatally wounded as he rode in a military truck four miles from Dhekelia. He was the second sergeant killed in four days by terrorists and his death brought the toll of British servicemen to six.

Gundro was reported at two other points but there were no immediate reports of casualties.

CHILDREN STRIKE

The police also reported firing from the direction of Wolsley Barracks, the main Army headquarters at Nicosia, and from a police station nearby. Meanwhile, an indefinite, island-wide strike of school children has been called for tomorrow and it was feared the consequences would be serious.

Already placards and pamphlets were placed over the larger towns and villages, challenging the British inflammatory language. Some of the signs threatened mass reprisals if the government executed Michael Karais, sentenced to death for murdering a policeman. His sentence is under appeal.

Allegedly  
Bought  
Dynamite

Denver, Nov. 21. Mr. Lyman Brown, a shopkeeper today identified John Gilbert Graham, accused of putting a bomb aboard an airliner and killing 44 people including his mother, as the man who bought 20 or 25 sticks of dynamite from him on October 29 two days before the disaster.

Graham, 23, is accused of putting a dynamite bomb in his mother's luggage before she boarded the United Air Lines plane on November 1. The plane blew up in flight 11 minutes after taking off.

Graham in interviews with reporters has repudiated an alleged confession quoted by Police.

Mr. Brown, owner of a shop in Kremling, in north-western Colorado, picked Graham out of a line-up of seven prison inmates today.—Reuter.

Police On Strike

Dacca, Nov. 21. Troops took over police duties today after most of the police force went on strike in Dacca, the capital of East Pakistan, a Government statement said.

Some of the striking Police members of a special armed force, were immediately arrested and confined to their barracks.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Israel also said a unit of "trained saboteurs" from Jordan wrecked a carpenter's shop and damaged water installations but without causing casualties in the village of Avouka in the west bank of the River Jordan.

There were at least three explosions, one apparently from a time bomb, the spokesman said.

The Israeli Foreign Minister said the worsening of the border situation in the last 24 hours was part of an "organized guerrilla campaign" conducted by Egypt.—Reuter.

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British Stars  
Mobbed  
By Moscow Fans

Moscow, Nov. 21. Enthusiastic Russian actors mobbed 38 British actors and actresses when they arrived at Moscow airport today. They were the first British theatre group to come to Moscow since the 1917 revolution.

The British stars stood for 15 minutes in 15 degrees of frost while they were greeted by the Russian actors and Soviet cultural officials.

They flew here from Berlin to find "sold out" notices across Moscow billboards for their 12 performances at the Bolshoi, starring Paul Scofield and Diana Wynyard in the leading roles.

Their director, Mr. Peter Brooks, who arrived here a week ago, was also waiting at the airport to greet the company on the first real Moscow winter evening this year.—Reuter.

BOMBAY RIOT DEATH  
TOLL RISES TO 10

Bombay, Nov. 21. Ten people were killed and more than 225 injured today when police fired on stone-throwing crowds in one of the worst riots in Bombay for years.

The riots were touched off by a one-day strike called by leftist parties against a Government plan to divide Bombay into three, with the city as a separate state.

The rioters turned the streets into a rubbish heap of burning buses, abandoned cars, broken glass and stone.

The riot stopped for a while when an Opposition Socialist leader in the Legislative Council broadcast an appeal to the crowds over a police loud-speaker.

Later police again opened fire on a stone-throwing crowd of about 150,000 who marched to Chowpatty beach for a public meeting.

Police opened fire three times when the demonstrators who marched to Chowpatty beach, stoned police and vehicles and destroyed public property.

A meeting was later held without incident on the beach. The police relaxed an earlier ban they had imposed on public meetings.

Opposition members in the Assembly violently criticised the Government plan to divide Bombay into three when it was debated today.—Reuter.

Yvonne de Carlo  
Married

Hollywood, Nov. 21. Yvonne de Carlo, the 35-year-old film actress, was married in a surprise ceremony at Reno today, to a stuntman with an eight-year-old daughter.

The bridegroom is Robert Morgan, aged 40.

The ceremony came as a big surprise, studio sources said. Miss de Carlo met Mr. Morgan five years ago while working on a film.

Only last week they completed work in the film "Raw Edge". This is the first marriage for Miss de Carlo.—Reuter.

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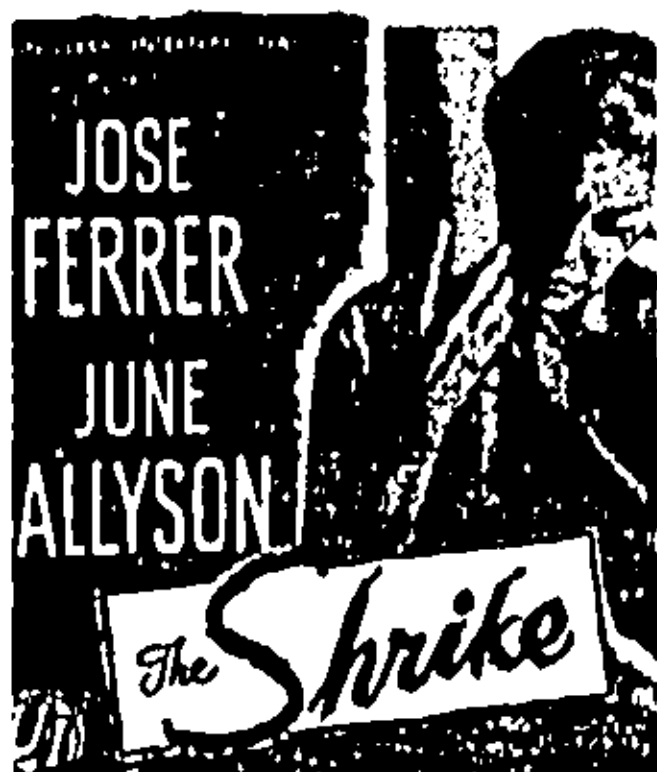
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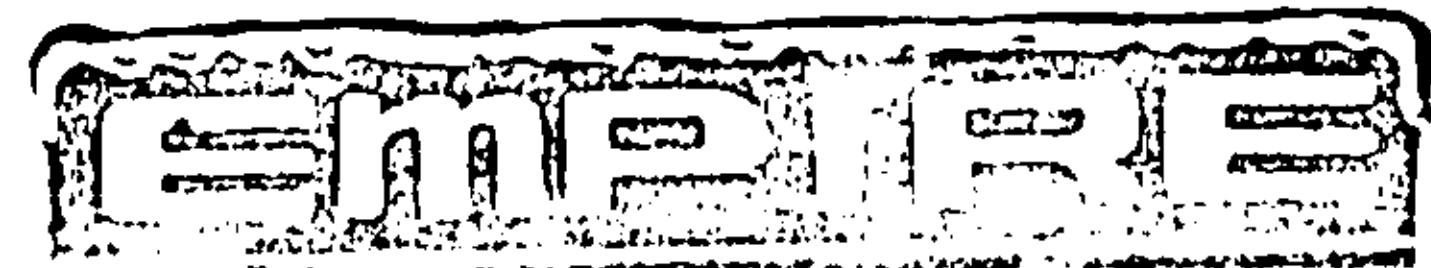


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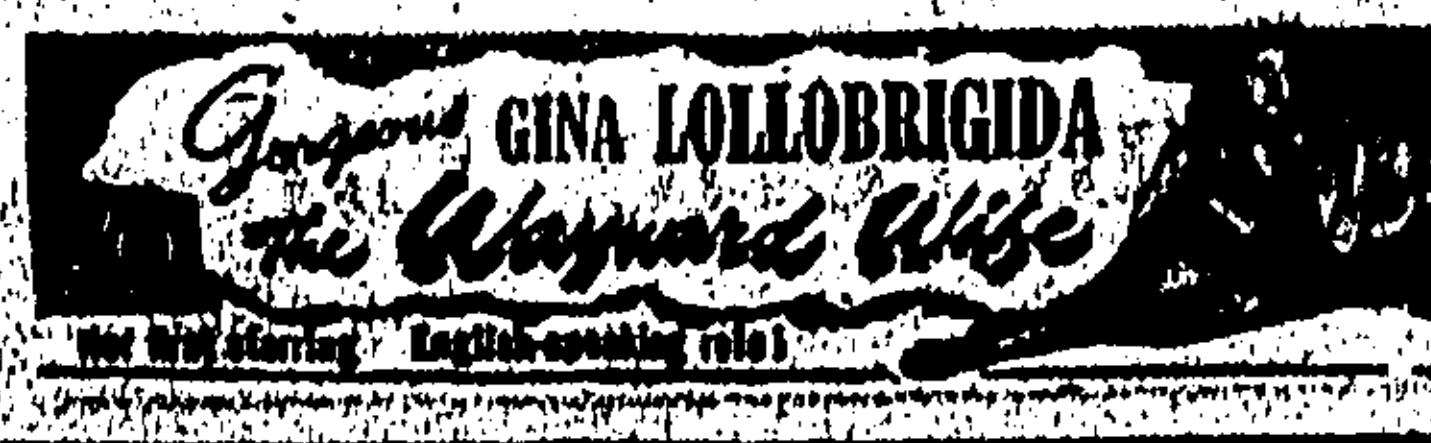
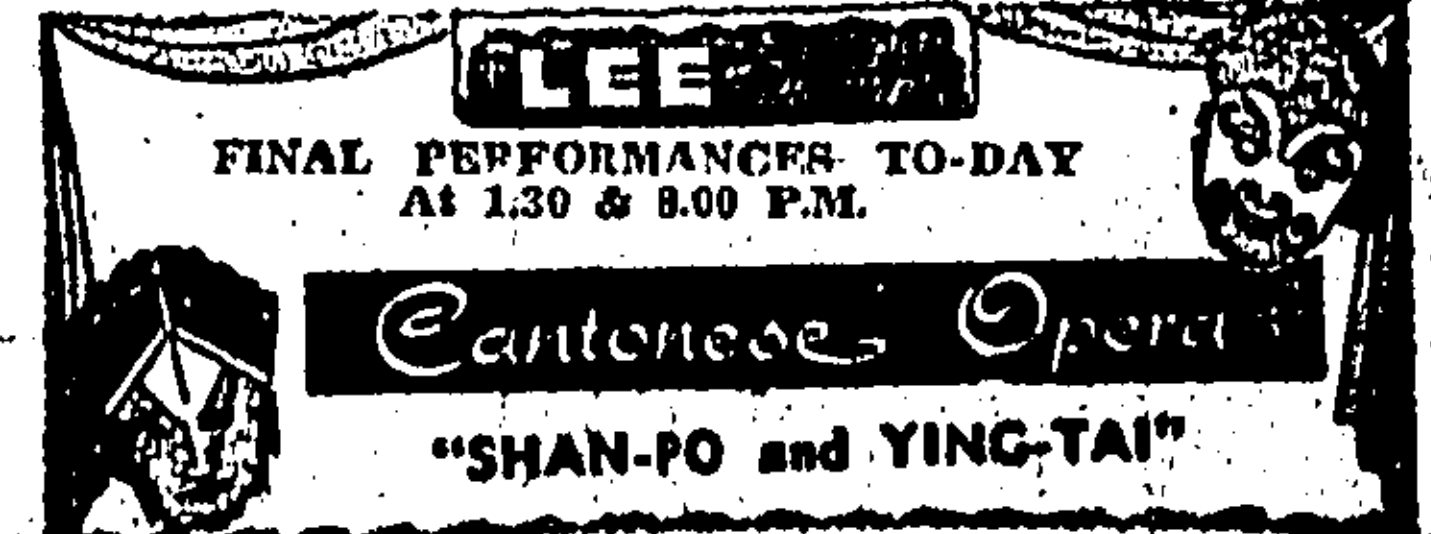
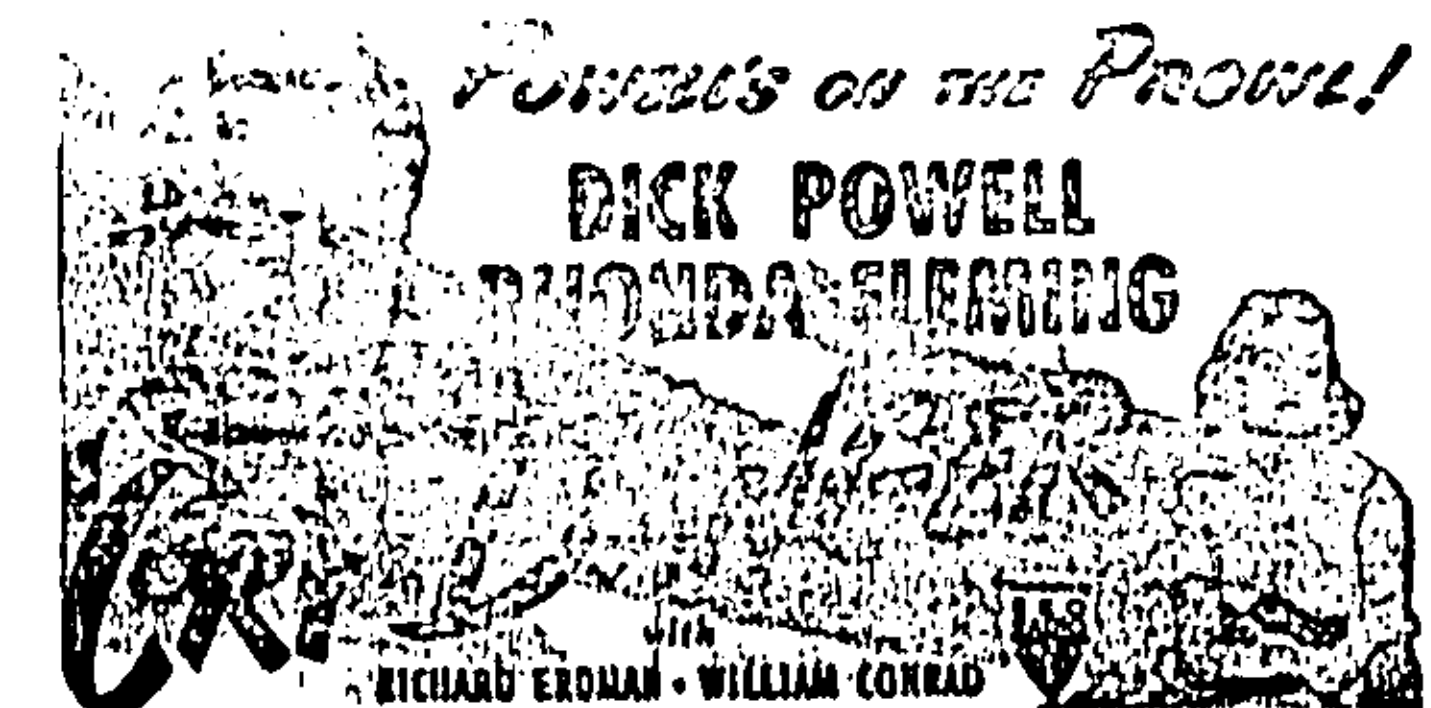
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# Harriman Attacks U.S. Foreign Policy

## "ILL-CONCEIVED EXPERIMENTS"

Seattle, Nov. 21.

Governor Averell Harriman of New York, a Democratic Presidential possibility for 1956, said tonight the Administration's foreign policy presents "a classic in the history of bungling."

Mr Harriman accused the Republicans of conducting a programme of foreign relations based on "ill-conceived experiments" and "flashy slogans."

The result, he said, has been "three years of incompetence and short-sightedness" with "great gaps between official words and official actions."

Mr Harriman addressed the state's Democrats at a large party rally and dinner. His arrival here followed a meeting of the nation's top Democrats in Chicago last week, where Mr Harriman shared a speaker's platform with Mr Adlai E. Stevenson, Senator Estes Kefauver of Tennessee, and former President Harry Truman.

### Korean Truce

His attack on foreign affairs took particular aim at the administration's part in the

Korean truce, the summit conference at Geneva, and economic and technical assistance for Asia.

Mr Harriman charged that "national policies are confused and uncertain" because "for a generation the Republican Party has been split on foreign policy."

"The Democrats long ago achieved unity on the fundamentals of foreign policy. Not so the Republicans," the New York Governor said.

He traced the present Administration's disunity to events preceding the election of President Eisenhower.

### Wrong Compromises

"The old guard isolationists' wrong from Eisenhower basic compromises on foreign policy," he said. "First he appeased Senator William Knowland, who rewarded him by leading the opposition against the foreign policies of the President."

"Then," Mr Harriman continued, "the President tried to appease Senator William Knowland, who rewarded him by leading the opposition against the foreign policies of the President."

The result, Mr Harriman said, has been three years of incompetence and short-sightedness, starting with the "phony understanding of Chiang Kai-shek" in the Korean War and "irresponsible statements about massive retaliation."

Later, he said, the administration failed to include in the Korean truce "an iron-clad and enforceable agreement with the Chinese 'regarding Indo-China,' to prevent Communist pressure in Vietnam."

"And sure enough, the Chinese heavy artillery released from Korea turned up in Indo-China, and the 1st was in the fire," he said.

### Thrown Off Balance

Mr Harriman said last summer's Geneva "summit" conference was a "great" Communist victory.

"Free nations were thrown off balance. They were psychologically disarmed. Neutralists and pro-Communist elements in Europe and Asia were strengthened. Momentum in building against danger was lessened," he said.

Mr Harriman said the nation's task is to "repair this damage without delay," and added that "the Democratic Party is peculiarly equipped for this task, because it understands people, not only at home but around the world." — United Press.

## Glass-Topped Coffin For Earl's Body

Copenhagen, Nov. 21. The mummified body of the Earl of Bothwell, third husband of Mary Queen of Scots, has "caught a chill" through lying for several centuries in the damp crypt of Faxevejle village church.

Experts at the National Museum in Copenhagen, 60 miles away are drying it out and will return it soon in an airtight case with a glass lid.

The Earl, credited with the murder of Mary's second husband, Darnley, was imprisoned in Denmark for bigamy after fleeing from Scotland. He died in prison in 1570.

Tourists pay to see his mummified body, and a few years ago a British visitor noticed signs of decay. The Earl recovered swiftly, after some injections of penicillin. — China Mail Special.

Marmaduke, 200-year-old tortoise at London Zoo, has a special problem every year at this time, which is when all sensible tortoises go into hibernation. But Marmaduke won't go into cover of his own accord, and since he weighs a mere 600 lbs he's too heavy for zoo attendants to carry into the reptile house. So this year a spot of chicanery was resorted to. Young Jackie Irvin of Torquay, Devon, sat on Marmaduke's back and dangled an apple in front of the old fellow's nose, and, well, that's all there was to it. — Express Photo.

## French Elections Further Away

Paris, Nov. 21.

General elections for the formation of a new French National Assembly, which the government of Premier M. Edgar Faure had wanted to hold in December, now will probably not be held before next February or March, most political observers believed here today.

The basic reason for the delay has been disagreement over the electoral system to be used. For five weeks, the National Assembly and the Council of the Republic (Senate) have debated the relative merits of the single-member, district system (favoured by the Senate) and the departmental proportional representation system which, in the early stages of the debate, was favoured by the National Assembly.

The single-member system provides for the election of one deputy from each electoral district, while the proportional system calls for elections by lists.

### Gaining Ground

The single-member system seemed to be gaining ground last week but new difficulties were expected over the carving out of new electoral districts, to replace the districts decided upon in 1927.

A difficulty arises over the fact that because of population shifts, some departments are likely to lose one or more seats in the National Assembly, while others may gain one or more. The "losing" departments are expected to resist the single-member system.

In addition, the Communists and mainly Catholic, Popular Republican Movement (MRP) are opposed to the district system, preferring the system of proportional representation. — France-Press.

## WEST STILL DEADLOCKED OVER U.N. ADMISSIONS

New York, Nov. 21. Sir Piers Dixon, British permanent representative to the United Nations, conferred today with the United States and Canadian delegations in an effort to reach agreement on the world organization's admission of 18 nations, including Japan.

### Outer Mongolia

The delegates of Britain, France, Russia and the United States announced they were deadlocked yesterday over the question of admitting Communist Outer Mongolia, one of the 18 on Canada's list.

The United States objected to Outer Mongolia while the Soviet Union threatened to veto all other candidates at the republic was not admitted. But in spite of this deadlock, no move has been made to call a meeting of the Security Council on the matter. — Reuter.

## European Move To Counter HK Goods

Manchester, Nov. 21. Faced with increasing competition from low-wage countries, such as Hongkong, India and Japan, West European countries are now seeking a European solution to this problem.

This was revealed here today by the International Federation of Cotton and Allied Textile Industries in a communique on recent meetings in Amsterdam of two sub-committees of the Federation.

It would appear, however, that to far the only solution found is to promote consumption in the domestic markets of West European countries.

Nothing is being said on how to counteract. For Eastern competition in third markets nor is there mention of any steps to be taken as a result of Japan's recent admission to GATT. Although it is expected that more details on the results of the Amsterdam meeting will be published before the end of the year. — France-Press.

## Sells Castle Gates To Pay Upkeep

Vienna, Nov. 21. Prince Franz von Khevenhuller, owner of one of the oldest castles in Europe—it served as a model for Walt Disney's "Snow White's Palace"—is selling the castle gates to pay for its upkeep.

He has already sold one of the great iron-studded gates of the castle—in Carinthia, Austria—to a wealthy American guest for \$5,000. — China Mail Special.

## GHOST SHIP MYSTERY: NEW THEORY

Suva, Nov. 21.

MARINE experts are working on the theory that an eruption of the seabed may have swept the 25 passengers and crew from the "ghost ship" Joyita which was found drifting near here and is now being minutely examined.

The area is volcanic, and the investigators are reported to have asked the Tongan Government for a report on what happened to a Tongan vessel, the Hifafua, said to have been caught by an undersea eruption about six months ago.

The Hifafua's passengers, thrown into the sea, all scrambled back on board, except one child who was drowned.

Port authorities said tonight that the Hifafua was in roughly the same area that planned to be crossed on a two-day trip by the Joyita when she left Apia, Samoa—500 miles west of here—on October 2.

The 70-ton island trading and passenger ship was found drifting north of Fiji last week hundreds of miles off course. — Reuter.

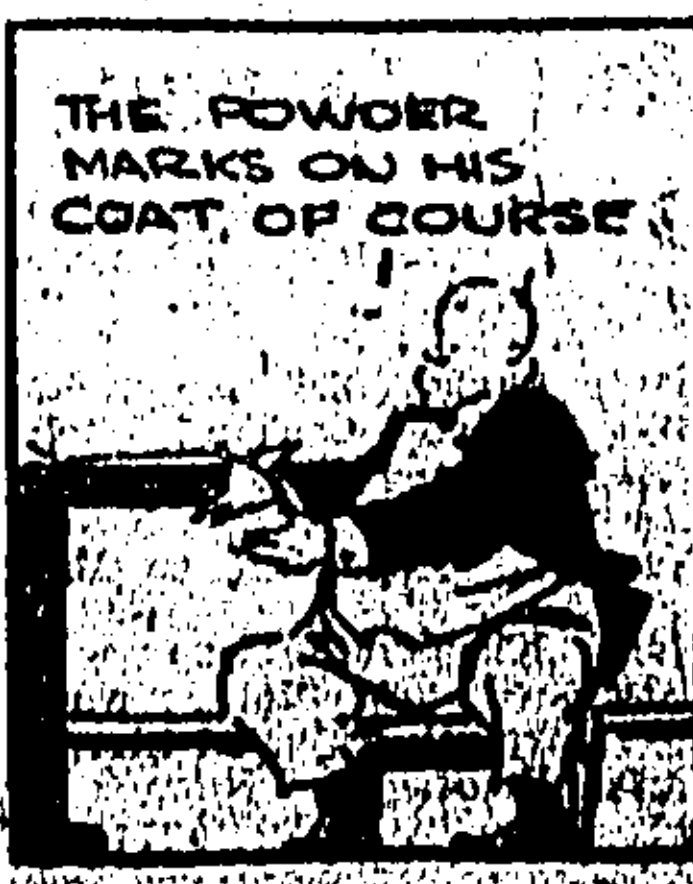
## MAN EATEN BY LION

Ndola, Rhodesia, Nov. 21.

The Northern Rhodesian Workmen's Compensation Commissioner has awarded compensation to the family of an African who was eaten by a lion.

He explained that because of his work the man had to sleep in a grass hut in the bush and the risk of being eaten by lions was an occupational hazard. — China Mail Special.

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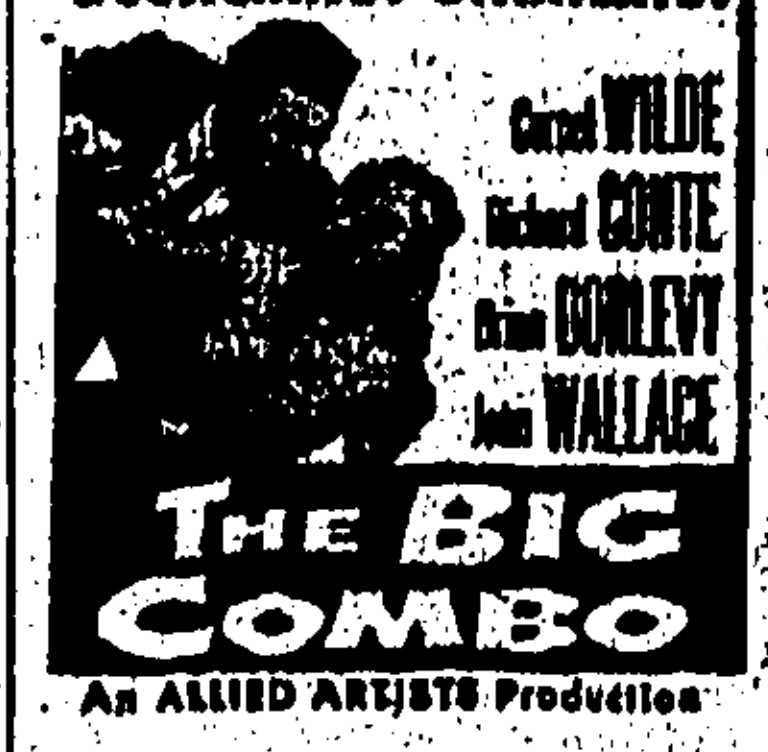
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## Dominici May Be Moved To Death Cell

Marseilles, Nov. 21. Gaston Dominici, 78-year-old Frenchman, was the victim of a murder in 1952 of a 19-year-old girl, Jacqueline, in the French capital. He was sentenced to life imprisonment and is now being moved to a death cell.

Dominici, who has been in the prison infirmary of Bannett in Marseilles since his arrest, is now being moved to a death cell. He is a Frenchman of 78 years of age.

## UK Stands By Disarmament Proposals

London, Nov. 21. Britain still stands by the disarmament proposals put forward in the 1954 Anglo-French plan and reaffirmed by the British Government this year. A Foreign Office spokesman said today.

He was commenting on the claim made today in New Delhi by the Soviet Prime Minister, Marshal Bulganin, that the Western States had backed down from their own disarmament proposals.

### LIMITATION

The British spokesman said support for the proposal which contained a detailed scheme for the limitation of forces of the Great Powers was of course subject to agreement on the methods of control.

At the recent Big Four Geneva conference the British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Harold Macmillan, said that British scientists were at present working on control schemes which could meet the problems created by nuclear weapons.

## QUAKE RECORDED

Berkeley, Calif., Nov. 21. The University of California seismograph recorded a 5.5 magnitude earthquake at 12.20 (GMT) today 225 miles from Berkeley, probably in Nevada. The quake could have caused "some damage" if it hit a populated area.—United Press.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- 1 Bog (8).
  - 7 Biblical character (4).
  - 9 Lioness (8).
  - 10 Prison rooms (8).
  - 11 Orient (4).
  - 13 Eating-place (10).
  - 15 Relate (4).
  - 16 Meditate (4).
  - 19 Bird (10).
  - 22 Sediment (4).
  - 24 Woary (8).
  - 25 Severer (8).
  - 26 Fervid (4).
  - 27 Excursion (6).

- DOWN**
- 2 Expletives (8).
  - 3 Amphitheatre (6).
  - 4 Safe (8).
  - 5 Softened (8).
  - 6 Go by (4).
  - 8 Criticise severely (8).
  - 12 Stories (8).
  - 13 Frolics (8).
  - 14 Places of entertainment (8).
  - 17 Division (8).
  - 18 Artist's workroom (6).
  - 20 Invention (6).
  - 21 Inexperienced (8).
  - 23 Detail (4).

**YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD**—Across: 1 Secure, 4 Spell, 7 Random, 8 Solid, 10 Iced, 12 Calves, 15 Mides, 16 Hero, 17 Bone, 19 Steam, 20 Dispute, 21 Loop, 23 Mitre, 24 Retain, 26 Agree, 28 Recede, Down: 1 Strained, 2 Commander, 3 Rook, 5 Proposal, 6 Lottery, 8 Caste, 11 Dispersed, 13 Caste, 15 Lemonade, 17 Serpent, 19 Ollie, 21 Mare.

# Sultan's Race With Anarchy

## Tribesmen Kill European In New Outbreak

Rabat, Nov. 21.

New rioting exploded today in Taza and Sultan Mohammed V began a race with anarchy to build a modern state in Morocco.

Inflamed Berbers dragged a European from his car and killed him, surrounded military headquarters and besieged a police station before Nationalists and French authorities restored calm in the latest outbreak, touched off by accident.

In a race to re-order firmly established after a bloody week, the Sultan, Mohammed V, would begin consultations tomorrow to form Morocco's first modern government.

Premier-Designate Si Fakhri ben Slimane and the three-man Throne Council established before the Sultan's return were scheduled to turn in their resignations in the morning.

### War Hero

Hook-nosed Si Bekkal, a hero Colonel of World War II in the French Army and the staunchest supporter of Ben Youssef during two years of exile, emerged as the latest favorite for Premier.

Both the left and the right, the independence parties have raised objections to Ben Slimane.

Violence flared anew today at Taza after a bloody weekend that cost at least 20 lives and 80 wounded as Ben Youssef's followers sought revenge and incidents escaped control.

Berber demonstrators at Taza dragged a European out of his car this morning and murdered him in an incident that apparently exploded from a misunderstanding.

They surrounded the military headquarters at the edge of the hilltop Medina and besieged a police station.

The Nationalist parties and French authorities worked together to re-establish calm.

**Nervous European**

A nervous European touched off the violence when he fired and wounded one of the fierce Mughazi auxiliary troops whom he believed was threatening him. Agitators immediately whipped up Berber tribesmen who had come down from the hills to the souk (market).

Taza, the military headquarters of north in Morocco, lies as close to the Taza gap on the traditional invasion route from the East. It was there that French forces linked to complete their conquest of Morocco early this century.

And a few miles to the north rise the barren Rif mountains peaks of brown mud where

### Organise Unions

Si Bekkal is the key member of that Council, which hardly had time to function before the Sultan returned.

He conferred with the Sultan for an hour and a half this morning. Shortly after noon the Sultan himself appeared on a balcony to address several hundred Moroccans gathered in the dusty, meadow before his white-walled palace.

He promised them he would attempt to win the right to organize labour unions for farm workers.

Morocco was changing fast. Lella Aicha, the Sultan's eldest daughter, told a group of young Moroccans yesterday that her first desire was to see women abandon their veils now worn in all colours and hues to celebrate the Sultan's return.—United Press.

## Steel Workers Decide Against Strike

Düsseldorf, Nov. 21. The wages commission of the iron and steel workers union today decided not to call a strike of 250,000 workers in the Ruhr iron and steel industry to support wage demands.

The commission recommended the executive to press for individual wage agreements in the iron and steel industry concerned.

The wage commission stated that despite the fact that it was not recommending an industry-wide strike, it firmly rejected the employers' offer as insufficient.

**EMPLOYERS' OFFER**

Employers have offered a 14-penny hourly increase but the unions had consistently demanded 20.

Workers in several big firms in the last few days have effected soft-pedalled the union executive that they were not prepared to strike over what is only a three-penny difference since the unions have indicated that they would be prepared to settle for 17 pence notwithstanding their claims for 20.—Reuter.

## Nuclear Weapon Carrying Fighter Produced By America

Washington, Nov. 21. THE Air Force announced today that a new jet fighter-bomber, designed to carry nuclear weapons and support field armies, exceeded the speed of sound in its trial flight one month ago.

The plane was the Republic F-105A, a swept-wing jet which first flew on October 15

## Argentina's Latest President Sworn In



## Menon Urges Quick Action On Korea

United Nations, Nov. 21.

The Indian delegate, Mr. V. K. Krishna Menon, said today that it was time for the United Nations to take definite steps, however small, toward reunification of Korea.

It is essential, he told the General Assembly's Political Committee, to wipe out the impression that "vested interests" are trying to keep Korea divided.

"The time has come to abandon the idea that the past determines the prospects of the future," he said.

As the last speaker in the general debate on Korea, Mr. Menon referred to what he termed "an antagonistic attitude" of the government of the Republic of Korea.

### Took Exception

Colonel Ben C. Limb, South Korea's UN observer and a non-voting participant in the debate, took exception to the Indian diplomat's remarks. He told the committee he considered them "most peculiar and especially inappropriate."

Mr. Menon said he could not vote for a United States proposed resolution calling for an early settlement of the Korea question on UN terms—free and impartially supervised elections to pave the way for Korean reunification.

He suggested that the American's delete from the draft resolution a reference to last year's report of 15 UN Korean allies. He asked for a resolution that could be adopted unanimously.

"We must retrace our steps as regards this language of ultimatum," he said.

## New Zealand's War On Goats

Wellington, Nov. 21. Wild goats have become almost as big a pest in certain areas of New Zealand as the red deer. In central Otago goats have become so numerous that six hunters from the Wildlife Branch of the Department of Internal Affairs killed 6,300 in 15 weeks.

Another campaign is to be held in the area next year in an attempt to reduce the goat population to the point where local sheep-farmers will be able to maintain control.—China Mail Special.

Mr. Menon also spoke briefly on the disposition of 82 ex-prisoners of the Korean War still in India's custody. He noted that a number of them had changed their minds about the country in which they wished to settle. They had the right to change their minds, he told the committee, "but we shall try to get rid of them before they change their minds again."—United Press.

## Bonn To Ask Why Prisoners Not Returned

Bonn, Nov. 21. The West German Government said today it will ask Russia once again why it is not returning German war prisoners from Soviet camps as promised.

Foreign Minister Heinrich von Brentano said the question will be transmitted through the Soviet Embassy in Paris. There have been no transports of returnees since October 20. An estimated 5,803 of the 9,020 prisoners the Soviets promised to free were returned before then.

Herr von Brentano said the Soviets never gave a definite date for completion of the repatriation action. Their promises to Chancellor Konrad Adenauer during the September Moscow talks, he said, said only that the return would be carried out as soon as possible.

The first official inquiry on the delay was sent to the Soviet Embassy in East Berlin, which promised to relay it to Moscow. But nothing was ever received in reply.—United Press.

Argentina's new President, General Pedro Aramburu, right, is shown after swearing in ceremonies in Buenos Aires which followed the overthrow of General Lonardi by a coup d'etat. Former President Lonardi, center of Peron, was further to the political right than General Aramburu, whom observers believe represents a large cross-section of the Argentine public. With General Aramburu in the picture is Admiral Rojas, who remains in office as Argentina's Vice-President.—Express Photo.

## NY Chinatown A Model For America

New York, Nov. 21. NEW York's Chinatown has "practically no juvenile delinquency at a time when, in other sections of the city, adolescents seem to have run amok," an article in the December issue of Coronet magazine said today.

In a report on "Our Amazing Chinese Kids," writer James C. G. Conniff said a "high moral sense is the key to the amazing record" of Chinatown children.

"Many an American community would be greatly relieved if it could boast of such a record," he added. He quotes the Chinese Consul-General here Mr. P. H. Chang, as attributing the record to the Chinese sense of "filial piety."

"Chinese fathers know that the greatest wealth is a properly raised son—an accomplishment they feel must be first taught at home," the author wrote. "Chinese mothers are every bit as conscientious."

As a further indication of the importance of self-respect to the Chinese, Mr. Conniff reported:

### Few On Relief

"Of the 10,000 people in New York's Chinatown during the depression years, only seven were ever on relief, and four of the seven were Chinese—the rest were Koreans, a distinction you always hear made in Chinatown. Boston and Philadelphia Chinatowns had proportionately low rates, and San Francisco had only two in 10,000."

He added: "The serenity of Chinese-American existence is reflected in other ways. Dr. Ying Chang-chu of the New York Women's Infirmary, where many Chinese mothers are treated, says that there is comparatively less high blood pressure among the Chinese, less insanity and fewer nervous breakdowns."

"The reason for Chinatown's excellent health standing has been attributed to the constant sense of security which Chinese family solidarity provides, and the fact that they have learned to take what comes. Of the good as well as the evil, the Chinese say without bitterness. This too will place China in a new

## Devastating Storms Strike Canada

### HEAVY DAMAGE REPORTED

Montreal, Nov. 21.

The chill hand of winter moved westward into Eastern Canada today, carving a path of heavy damage.

As much as 12 inches of snow, carried by a 50 mph wind, knocked out communications over a wide area in Nova Scotia. Ice-laden poles crashed to the ground as the temperatures plunged to 20 degrees during the night.

There have been no reports of fatalities.

Air communication in and out of the maritime provinces was brought to a standstill and some train and bus routes became impossible.

The blinding snowstorm, which pounced the East Coast provinces on the foot of a curling ocean surf, was the worst winter storm experienced by Halifax since 1874.

### Swept Westward

In Prince Edward Island, drifts were piled up under the drive of 60 mph winds. Communications were disrupted, but the island was back in operation after an hour or two of discomfort.

As the storm swept westward it lessened in ferocity.

When it sideswiped Montreal and Ottawa, the winds had died, and the snowfall was about three inches.

Cars bogged down on the highways, but apart from slippery road conditions there was no serious threat to life and limb.

The blanket of snow which fell across Montreal began to disperse at noon, shortly after the sun broke through the clouds.

The western provinces were not affected by the storm. They had their winter treatment earlier in the month. Temperatures remained seasonal throughout the prairies and deep into the Rockies. Some rain was reported on the Pacific Coast.—United Press.

## Anti-Taxation Leader Criticised

Paris, Nov. 21. M. Pierre Poujade, leader of the Anti-Taxation Organisation of French Shopkeepers, was today criticised by representatives of the organization for seizing control over their movement.

About 100 departmental delegates of the Union for the Defence of Commerce and Artisans met in protest at Aurillac and heard speeches charging M. Poujade with trying to turn a protest against excessive taxation into a political movement to bring him to power.

The delegates decided to set up a committee to reorganise the movement and bring it back into line with its original objectives.—France-Press.

## Red Agitation To Continue In Bombay DESPITE KREMLIN LEADERS' VISIT

New Delhi, Nov. 21. Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin and Soviet Communist Party First Secretary Nikita Khrushchev may find themselves in a centre of serious agitation when they visit Bombay next Wednesday—partly because of the local Communist army.

M. Dange, a leader of the Political Bureau of the Communist Party, said today that his party would continue to agitate for the creation of a united Bombay State with the City of Bombay as capital despite the fact that Bulganin is going to visit the city. Bombay has been the scene of agitation recently following an announcement by the Indian States Commission of plans for carving the State of Bombay.—France-Press.

What's so funny?

DOCTOR AT SEA (COMING SOON)

Bayer's TONIC

BAYER

Xmas Cards OF HONG KONG SCENERY

SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST







## JACOBY ON BRIDGE

### Overcall Bad In Tournery Play

By OSWALD JACOBY

IT'S hard to censure South for his overcall of one heart in today's hand. Most good players would make the same bid despite the vulnerability. South was unlucky enough to run into a very bad trump break and a very good defence, so that the loss amounted to 500 points. This would not have been serious at rubber bridge, however, since East-West had a very easy game at no-trump. If South hadn't bid, the opponents would have bid and made their game, and this would have been worth very nearly 500 points.

In tournament play such slight differences are of the utmost importance. The East-West game, including the trick score, was worth only 420 points. A penalty of 500 points against the contract of one heart doubled gave a top score to East-West and a bottom to North-South.

West opened the defence of hearts, and South won with the ace. Declarer led his singleton

NORTH		19
♠	87632	
♥	Q	
♦	943	
♣	87652	
WEST		
♠	A 4	
♥	10 9 7 4 2	
♦	K Q 5	
♣	K 10 3	
EAST (D)		
♠	J 10 9	
♥	K	
♦	A J 10 2	
♣	A Q J 9 8	
SOUTH		
♠	K Q 5	
♥	A J 8 6 5 3	
♦	8 7 6	
♣		
North-South vul		
East	South-West North	
1	1	Double Pass
Pass	Pass	
Opening lead: ♥ 2		

club, hoping to get a few ruffing tricks. Unfortunately for him, the opponents saw the plot and avoided further club leads.

East won the first round of clubs with the eight and shifted to diamonds. The defenders managed to cash three rounds of diamonds and then East led the jack of spades. South covered with the queen, and West won with the ace and returned the suit. South took the king of spades and got out with a spade to East's ten.

East now led his last diamond, and South ruffed with the five of hearts. West overruffed with the seven of hearts and led his remaining club. South ruffed with the three of hearts and wisely returned a low trump.

West had to step up with the nine of hearts to win the trick and then had to return a trump from the 10-4 up to declarer's J-8. South thus won the last two tricks and held the loss to 500 points. South deserved credit for playing the hand well, but his score for the hand was very round and very small!

### ♥ ♣ CARD Sense ♦ ♦

Q—With neither side vulnerable, the bidding has been:  
North East South West  
1 Heart 2 Clubs ?  
You, South, hold:  
♠ 7 5 4 ♠ 8 6 3 ♠ K Q 9 6 2  
What do you do?  
A—Pass. Don't double an overcall when your hand is worthless for any other contract. Somebody usually runs out of the double, and at best you have succeeded only in warning the enemy of their danger.

### TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding has been:  
North East South West  
2 Hearts Pass ?  
You, South, hold:  
♠ 7 5 4 ♠ 8 6 3 ♠ K 5 4 3  
What do you do?  
Answer Tomorrow

## BY THE WAY

by Beachcomber

THE gentleman who is reported to have taught a ferret to answer the bell seems to me to be guilty of muddled thinking.

When a bell is answered either someone is admitted to a house, or an order is given. A ferret cannot open front doors and certainly cannot carry out such orders. Please bring me my lunch, I don't see what is achieved when the bell rings and all that happens is that the ferret stands there looking like a fool. Probably I am out of touch with the spirit of the age, as the bon vivant said when the waiter brought him a glass of sparkling Taitianman Napoleon brandy.

### 'The litter on the heath, brother'

TECH-MAKERS are looking forward to good times. The people who were moved from London to satellite-belt green-dormitory estates are now being driven out by rising rents, the noise of aircraft, and the compulsory purchase of sites for more aircraft. These will be the nomads of the Nuclear Renaissance, the units of bedouin personnel, the lower-income-bracket alpines. Across the Home Counties they will drive their loads of radios and their herds of television sets, pitching their plastic tents by night and then

### Domestic economy

How to fill a hat with charcoal. It is best to do this by hand, selecting scraps of various sizes and arranging them in the hat in some sort of pattern, taking care not to get any lumps inside the lining, where the bulge will be noticeable. To empty the hat before wearing it, turn it upside down over a scum.

In passing PEOPLE who boast that their car-wheels have been shocked to death. It is legal to incorporate as much brass or other alloy as you like in platinum. It is like a fool's gold. That mint coins contain bits of silver and cloth and linen, is anything newsworthy? Phosphorus really is pure hyperphosphorus, as it claims to be? Or are there traces of train-oil and machine glue in it?

### Round the town

SPRATS, which used to be the mark of a well-dressed man, are scarce. They are as good as dead. Wardrobe as ever came out of

## YOUR BIRTHDAY

By STELLA

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

BORN today, you have a tremendous store of will power and anything you want to do you can do. You are quite clever at getting the co-operation of others in helping you to achieve your aims. You are interested. Naturally, a born leader, you have many interesting, imaginative and inventive ideas which you want to promote.

You have a variety of interests ranging from literature, history and music to travel, outdoor sports and construction work—building and engineering, for example. You are sometimes a little slow to show where you are going. Progressing slowly, you are going to achieve your two major goals. Learn to make up your mind when a problem is first presented. You don't decide at once, someone else may step in and take the decision, and the success and fame as well as away from you.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Buck up carefully now that using your wits is your only recourse. Later on you will be glad of it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 29)—You can enjoy people you meet today. This evening may be profitably set aside for pleasure, too.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 31-Feb. 19)—If you are asked for help, why not give it with the good advice for which you are so noted.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Look on the pleasant side of things and you will find that this can be an extremely profitable day for you.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—Accept an invitation to attend. This can be a time to try the foundations for a future promotion.

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)—Give encouragement to a friend who needs help. Your generosity will be well rewarded in the future.

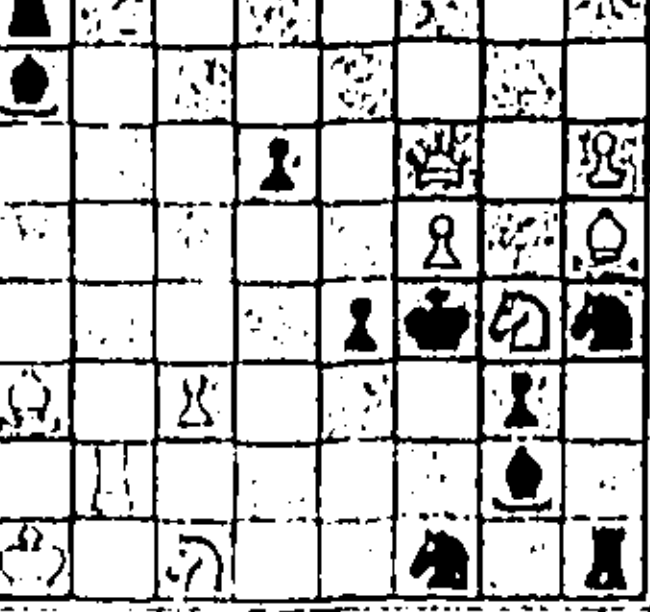
GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—You may find it valuable to have lunch with close friends and talk over your plans for the future with them.

CANCER (June 22-July 23)—By listening, you are often able to get some good ideas. Today you might well be silent and listen!

### CHESS PROBLEM

By E. PETITE

Black, 10 pieces.



White, 10 pieces.  
White to play, mate in two.  
Solution to yesterday's problem:

1. Kt1-Q2, any; 2. Q, or R mates.

### This Funny World



"It's all right, sis. We're out of the flat mission your lady friend ordered."

### TARGET

M	A	Y
R	L	S
T	P	I

How many words of four letters can you make from the letters in the target? Each letter can be used only once. The target is a 3x3 square, and there must be at least one nine-letter word in the list. No plural or foreign words, no proper names. TIPS: TARGET: 12 words, good; 13 words, very good; 14 words, excellent; 15 words, brilliant; 16 words, superb; 17 words, perfect; 18 words, superb; 19 words, excellent; 20 words, brilliant; 21 words, superb; 22 words, perfect; 23 words, superb; 24 words, excellent; 25 words, brilliant; 26 words, superb; 27 words, perfect; 28 words, superb; 29 words, excellent; 30 words, brilliant; 31 words, superb; 32 words, perfect; 33 words, superb; 34 words, excellent; 35 words, brilliant; 36 words, superb; 37 words, perfect; 38 words, superb; 39 words, excellent; 40 words, brilliant; 41 words, superb; 42 words, perfect; 43 words, superb; 44 words, excellent; 45 words, brilliant; 46 words, superb; 47 words, perfect; 48 words, superb; 49 words, excellent; 50 words, brilliant; 51 words, superb; 52 words, perfect; 53 words, superb; 54 words, excellent; 55 words, brilliant; 56 words, superb; 57 words, perfect; 58 words, superb; 59 words, excellent; 60 words, brilliant; 61 words, superb; 62 words, perfect; 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# MALAYANS 100 FOR 6 AGAINST SERVICES AT LUNCH BREAK

By "RECORDER"

The Malayan Cricket Association were 100 up for six wickets at the lunch break in the two-day match against Combined Services at Chater Road this morning.

Great bowling by Lipscombe and Birley had the visitors five wickets down for 41 runs at one stage, but C. S. Walker and M. C. Kallaspthy altered the whole picture with a sixth wicket stand of 59, Walker being caught by Lipscombe off Withall at short square leg just before the lunch break.

Lipscombe's figures were 15-3-39-3 and Birley's 10-6-9-2. The Army bowler's analysis was spoiled by the Malayan captain, H. Sheppard, knocking three successive fours off him in the first over.

Sheppard and G. Dauncey, the MCA's opening pair, looked quite comfortably settled when Lipscombe struck on the first ball of his fifth over, Dauncey being stumped by Carr as he reached out to play a shorter one. The Malayans were two wickets down as H. E. Webb was clean bowled on the next ball.

## STRUCK AGAIN

The score was 29 for 2, but at 31 Lipscombe struck again with

## Tung Wah Free Schools Annual Athletic Meeting

Under the auspices of the Tung Wah Group of Hospitals, the fourth annual Athletic Meeting of the Tung Wah Free Schools will be held at the S.C.A.A. Stadium, Caroline Hill, on November 28 and 29, and December 2.

At a press conference held at the Tung Wah Hospital, it was reported that about 2,300 would participate in the meeting. The Hon. B. C. K. Hawkins, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, has consented to perform the flag hoisting ceremony and the Hon. D. J. S. Crozier, Director of Education, will distribute the prizes.

a ball that broke in from leg to shatter M. Sheppard's wicket.

Sheppard, who had been batting quite confidently, especially in the first eight overs, was next to go at 37, clean bowled by Birley. Four runs later Kirkham was leg before to Birley and the Malayans were five wickets down for 41.

C. S. Walker had meanwhile settled down and was joined by Kallaspthy. The latter took a long time to start scoring and a change of bowlers that saw Withall take over from Birley at the pavilion and kept the scoring rate down.

Kallaspthy did not look too confident against Withall's spinners in the latter's first two or three overs and could have been caught at the wicket on a difficult catch.

Walker was, in the meanwhile, scoring steadily on singles. The fielding was superb and good late cuts and well-timed drives seldom reached the boundary.

Kallaspthy finally satisfied himself that he had got the measure of Withall and opened up. The first six of the match came off his bat as he pulled a ball from Withall over square leg, into Des Voeux Road.

Power, a medium-paced leg break bowler, replacing Lipscombe at the Naval Yard end after the latter had bowled 15 overs, wasn't treated with particular respect by either Walker or Kallaspthy and, with Withall being hit on occasion, the score crept steadily up to 100 when Walker was caught by Lipscombe at short square leg. The lunch break followed.

## THE SCOREBOARD

Malayan Cricket Association.

First Innings	
H. Sheppard, b. Birley	28
G. Dauncey, st. Carr, b. Lipscombe	4
H. E. Webb, b. Lipscombe	0
M. Sheppard, b. Lipscombe	0
C. S. Walker, c. Lipscombe, b. Withall	31
T. Kirkham, lbw, b. Birley	1
M. C. Kallaspthy, not out	27
Extras	11

Total (for six wickets) 100

Chun Eng, Cheng, Gurcharan Singh, J. J. Burton and S. Nughli to bat.

Fall of wickets: 1 for 29 (Dauncey), 2 for 29 (Webb), 3 for 31 (Sheppard), 4 for 37 (Sheppard), 5 for 41 (Kirkham), 6 for 100 (Walker).

Bowling to date:	
Lipscombe	10 3 39 3
Birley	10 6 9 2
Withall	8 1 27 1
Power	3 1 14 0

## Leading Cricket Umpire Retires

London, Nov. 13. Frank Chester, the leading cricket umpire, has decided for reasons of health not to seek nomination to the first-class umpires list for 1956, the MCC announced today.

Chester was first appointed a Test umpire in 1924 and has officiated in every series in England since that year. He has stood altogether in 48 test matches.

Chester will be 60 in January. —France-Press.

## BATTLE OF GIANTS



Ewart Vogtliet, 7ft. 2in. South African, gazes down at 6ft. 5in. Canadian James J. Parker in a clash at close quarters during their ten round Heavyweight contest at Harringay Arena, London on November 15. The result was a draw. —Reuterphoto.

## Stiff Standards Set For British Aspirants To Olympic Games

By JOHN DAVIS

London, Nov. 20.

These are tough times among the British athletes who have the ambition to compete in the Olympic Games in Melbourne in 1956.

The size of the team, which will be chosen early next year, will be governed by the number of athletes capable of reaching a certain standard, as listed.

And what a tough list. The Selection Board have taken a realistic outlook in setting the standards which they think will give competitors a reasonable chance of getting into the first six places.

For instance, in the 5,000 Metres won by Emil Zatopek in Helsinki in 14 minutes 6.6 seconds, the figure set is 14 minutes 2 seconds. Gordon Pirie and Chris Chataway, who finished fourth and fifth respectively, returned 14 minutes 18 seconds.

For the Marathon, Zatopek was the only man at Helsinki who got within the two hours 20 minutes now prescribed by the Board.

These are just two examples of achievements demanded by the Board to ensure that no "passengers" are sent half way round the world on a hopeless quest.

The standards set for the field events rules out the possibility of British representation in the men's Hammer, Discus and Javelin and the women's Shot, Discus and Javelin.

## PREVIOUS SYSTEMS

By this adoption of a list of standards the Board have departed from previous systems of picking a team of Olympic "possibles". Instead they have named 38 men and eight women who have reached or approached the minimum performances set.

The Board too will base its selection on known ability and the likelihood of producing his best form in the actual Olympic tests, said Mr. Jack Crump, the Board's Honorary Secretary and team manager.

"For example if an athlete does not wish to compete in the Amateur Athletic Association Championships or in an international match that will not deter him or her from going to Melbourne," said Mr. Crump.

"It will be up to the athlete himself who will be completely at liberty to decline invitations for international meetings if, in his opinion, acceptance would prejudice ability to produce the best performance when needed." Discussions will take place during the Winter and through-

## VARYING OPINIONS

Wells, who settled in New Zealand after the 1950 Empire Games, has won the New Zealand High Jump title for the past four years. His New Zealand record of six feet 8 1/2 inches is within reach of the standard of six feet 7 inches laid down by the Board.

There are varying opinions about the policy of preparing for an Olympics which, to a large number of countries, are being held out of season.

Britain will have only three full-scale international meets Summer and will continue with other international competitions until late October.

Germany, who may be entering a joint East-West German team for Melbourne, apparently believe in plenty of hard work. They have arranged nine international matches.

At the other end of the scale Russia, who may be safely described as the strongest challengers to the usual American supremacy in the Olympics, will engage in only one international contest. For that they will make their first full-scale visit to England for a two-day match at the White City, London, on August 31 and September 1. —China Mail Special.

## Test Players Rest

Hyderabad, Nov. 21.

India and New Zealand cricketers, engaged in their first Test here, were resting to-day, in accordance with rules for the series. The five-day match is due to end on Thursday. —Reuter.

## OLYMPIC QUEST

# TRACK EVENTS AT MELBOURNE NEXT NOVEMBER WILL PRODUCE OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCES

Says STAN TOMLIN

In no sphere of sporting activity have world standards risen with greater rapidity than in track athletics. World records are being made and then broken with such regularity that it is extremely difficult to envisage what may happen in a year's time at the Olympic Games at Melbourne.

The prospect of runners from Britain is, however, particularly interesting. In the course of a very intense season of international athletics they have had opportunity to compete against a great many of the world's best performers and it thus becomes possible to nominate five who will be serious contenders for Olympic track titles.

The only one of these to break an official world record this year has been Chris Chataway. He established new figures for the Three Miles (4,828 Metres), and despite a defeat by Iharos (Hungary), must certainly go forward as a real Olympic prospect, to improve convincingly upon the fifth place that he filled in the 5,000 Metres in Helsinki.

## WIDE RANGE

Fourth in that race was Gordon Pirie, who during the past year has not perhaps been so prominent as was expected. This is because he has had an experimental season, and has been running over a wide range of distances, with the emphasis rather upon those shorter than the 10,000 Metres which it seems likely he will now concentrate on for the Olympic Games.

Even so, he found a prominent place in the world rankings at 10,000 Metres and put up a world best performance for one-and-a-half miles (2,414 Metres).

For the 1,500 Metres, Brian Hewson may well become the fourth Briton to succeed in the Olympics. This 23-year-old tailor has been running remarkably well. A brilliant 580 Yard (503 Metres) victory over the European 600 Metres Champion Szentgali (Hungary) brought him the British record for the distance.

Two inspired efforts "against the clock" brought best world times at 1,000 Yards (914 Metres) and 1,200 Yards (1,107 Metres) and at the popular One Mile (1,609 Metres) he became the fifth athlete in the world to beat four minutes. (The other four are Bannister (Britain),

Lundy (Australia), Chataway (Britain) and Tabari (Hungary). Add to this the fact that he has been defeated only once this season in international matches when representing Britain, and it is not difficult to claim that Hewson is a name to be considered for Melbourne.

## POWERFUL FINISHER

Derek Johnson is yet another Olympic prospect although his 1955 performances were much less distinguished. In the early part of the season Johnson won some very fine races, including the 880 Yards national title, and recorded a victory against Germany. Then he contracted a bad attack of tonsillitis and although he eventually got back to competition, he was not able to recapture the speed he had previously shown. He is, how-

ever, the British Commonwealth Champion and his powerful finish always makes him a dangerous opponent for the best at 800 Metres.

Then last but not least there is John Disley, the 3,000 Metres national steeplechase Champion, Disley, at 27, is oldest of Britain's stars, but he has been running better than ever before and in an undefeated summer of competition has beaten most of the best runners in the world in his favourite event. He might well do so again next year.

These are all capable and experienced athletes whose Olympic quest will be thoroughly planned to make them ready for the high quality of performance that the 1956 Games will demand.

# England Often Strike Me As A Team Without A Heart

Says ALAN HOBY

Here is football's most baffling mystery. Why is it that England sides so seldom play with the fire and passion Wolves showed against Moscow Dynamo?

When Billy Wright and his gold-shirted squads rage into action under the floodlights they are playing for England to the last ounce of flesh and blood.

It doesn't matter a Russian rouble whether they have been having a tough time in the League or are forced to play two reserves.

At such moments Wolves are all heart. Whether it is Dynamo, Honved or Spartak, defeat is a word which has been deleted from their vocabulary.

By comparison England often strike me as a team without a heart. They make neat, black-board moves but when it comes to getting the vital goals they pack the punch of a rose petal. I think the time has come for the selection and direction of the England XI to be put under a merciless microscope.

## ENGLAND'S BEST

I also think the most dominant and powerful personality in modern soccer is Wolves manager Stanley Cullis.

And I am convinced that Cullis, Napoleon of Molineux, should be made boss of England's best.

Let me say at once that this is a personal choice. I have never discussed the matter with Cullis himself. Yet—

Who has the priceless gift of making his team rise to the occasion?—Stan Cullis.

Who knows to a fraction how to adapt team tactics to any crisis which may flare up during a match?—Stan Cullis.

Who forms with England captain Billy Wright the finest partnership in football?—Mr. S. C. again.

I recognise there is difference between "running a match" and "managing a team" and I have never discussed the matter with Cullis himself. Yet—

I also appreciate that Walter Winterbottom, the England team manager, has not only carried out a thankless job with patience and perseverance but is obviously destined for big things.

But I still want to know why England's recent results read: lost 1-0 to France; drew 1-1 with Spain; lost 3-1 to Portugal.

—(London Express Service).

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## Perez Unfit To Defend World Flyweight Title

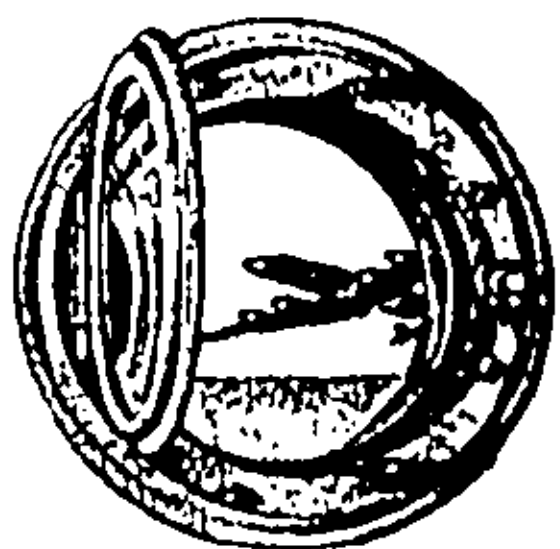
Buenos Aires, Nov. 21.

Argentine Flyweight Pascual Perez has asked the National Boxing Association for a postponement of the official decision before defending his World title against Leo Espinoza of the Philippines.

Perez has still not recovered from the sprain to his right thumb which he sustained in his fight with Danny Kid of the Philippines.

The Champion's manager, thinks Perez, will be ready to meet Espinoza in the second half of December. —France-Press.

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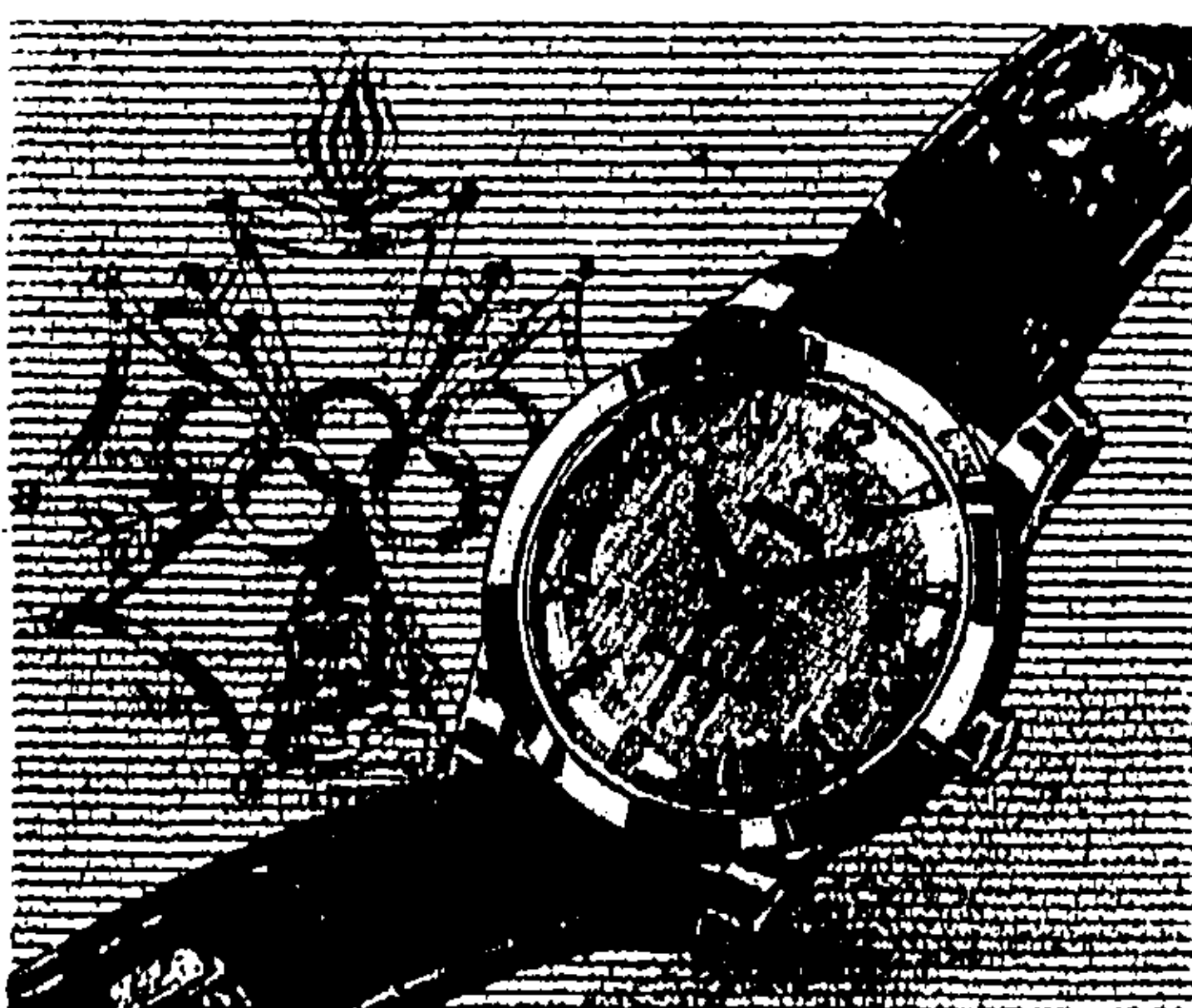


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## THE GAMBOLS





## SPORT WITH THE LID OFF

Wake Up MCC!  
—It's 1955

By FRANK ROSTRON

"Gentlemen versus Players" . . . what have we here, in this modern age of 1955? We have the MCC's picturesque relic of the feudal days of cricket, when the gentry tested their skill against the paid hirelings of the counties.

Memories of this ancient fixture should occupy a revered place in the Imperial Cricket Museum at the back of the pavilion at Lord's.

What humbug to continue solemnly to play it in the hectic world of the flashing fifties.

I select this creaking anachronism as an example of the MCC's penny-farthing mentality in the atom age.

## DECREASES

Year by year public interest in this one-time popular classic decreases. Year by year the popular demand increases. Instead, for a fixture which would give Southern cricket lovers a view of Vinoo Mankad and Datto Phadkar of India, Frank Worrell, Everton Weekes, Clyde Walcott, and Sonny Ramadhin of West Indies, and Ray Lindwall and Colin McCool of Australia, to mention just a few stars periodically playing in Lancashire Leagues.

No, like many players in the Lancashire, Birmingham, and other leagues, they are unlikely ever to be seen at Lord's.

That is, unless they come at intervals of three or four years as members of touring sides—or like McCool (Somerset) or

Alan Walker (Not's) quality for county cricket under our curious residential and special regulations.

I pin Gentlemen v. Players squarely on to the MCC, as a sample of the type of mentality that still exists in this most hated, and at the same time most loved sports institution in the Empire.

I cannot attempt to name the guilty men. There are too many of them, prowling about the Long Room muttering about things as they were before the turn of the century.

## GENTLY DOES IT

But I can name a few who, despite the blinkers of tradition, see further from the Long Room windows than the sight screen at the Nursery End.

One is the new secretary, Ronnie Ald, who has begun, gently, to steer cricket away from the narrow lane, down which it has been forced to travel rigidly for years.

And, next to Australia and New Zealand to see for himself, and talk with the men who run big cricket over there.

Next is their latest acquisition, popular Billy Griffith, an active, all-round sportsman. His appointment as assistant secretary with public relations duties has broken down some of the isolation of the MCC from the general public.

Why, reporters can actually expect courtesy now!

It is a distinct advance that MCC now recognises the repugnant word "publicity."

Then we have "Gubby" Allen, this year's chairman of the selectors, and Walter Robins, two go-ahead ex-captains of England, enterprising and young enough to adopt a Billy Graham salesmanship attitude to cricket.

Whatever blunders some people consider the selectors made this year—and I think they performed their thankless job with distinction—Allen introduced all sorts of revitalising ideas, in addition to compiling detailed minutes and reports for the first time.

These men realise that the game—except for Tests—is in decay; that county cricket is outmoded and slowly dying.

What can they do? They can convince the older hierarchy, that changes both of laws and customs are overdue.

## REMARKABLE

The MCC, inextricably intertwined with the Imperial Cricket Board, selection committees, county management committees, and the boards of control wherever cricket is played, occupies a remarkable position in sport.

"But, let it never forget that like the All England Lawn Tennis Club, it is only a happy accident of geography that built up its great prestige.

Thomas Lord's happy selection of the present site should not give the privileged members of the 180-year-old club the belief which many appear to have . . . that they "own" England's Test teams.

The MCC's great strength is that, again like Wimbledon in tennis, it is an elegant showpiece, a valuable "Temple" for cricketers from all over the world.

But it has many weaknesses. Number one, though much watered down recently, and sometimes painfully concealed, is snobishness.

Unless he becomes a Test hero, the chances of a poor boy of ever even entering the clubhouse, stand at the same long odds as the hopes of a "rabbi" entering the All England club.

## 4-POINT PLAN

My suggestions to these revolutionary who really are trying—

1. Try to break down the dislike of the MCC, largely on class grounds, that undoubtedly exists all over England, especially in the North.

2. Bring parties of poor boys as guests to Test matches, even at the cost of some discomfort to those die-hard members—and so convince the people that the MCC is more than the private club it still strives to be while ruling the cricket world.

3. Listen without crying "Heresy" to the volume of appeals for Sunday afternoon county cricket, changes of the days and hours of play, modifications of outmoded laws about the state of the wicket and the light.

4. Take the public into your confidence.

(overleaf)

## TWO NIL VICTORY FOR GERMANY



Fifty thousand people packed the stadium at Karlsruhe in Germany to see the football match played recently between Germany and Norway. The Germans won by two goals to nil. Picture shows a German forward movement just beginning.—Agence France-Press Photo.

Matthews Not Finished  
Yet, But Why This  
Controversy?

Asks DON REVIE

People are saying that Stan Matthews is finished—because he has been left out of the last two England teams. But I don't believe it. And I'm sure Stan doesn't. In fact I bet he's having a quiet chuckle to himself at this very moment.

What many people don't appreciate is that although Matthews is 40 he has taken such care of his body that he is as supple as a lad in his teens. When he goes out to train, he walks and limbers up slowly. He is also a great believer in deep breathing exercises. He is, I would say, still the fastest man with the ball over the first 20 yards.

All this makes me feel certain that Matthews will be playing for several more years and for tormenting left-backs as he has done these many years.

But one aspect of all this annoys me. Once more Stan finds himself the centre of a cruel controversy, in which it is being alleged that he is difficult to play with. It is also being suggested that he and Johnny Haynes have such contrasting styles that they could never fit into the same forward line.

Matthews has been in the game so long that he probably doesn't worry about allegations. But I think they are unkind to a youngster like Johnny Haynes. He is a great footballer with an uncanny flair for accurate passing. He is trying to make his way in the game and this sort of controversy is not likely to help him.

## NO ORDINARY WINGER

Matthews is difficult to play with? Well, I must admit I have had some experience and to my mind it is simply that he is not just an ordinary winger. The first time I played with him in Belfast in September 1954 I was a flop. It was my own fault because I kept getting in his way.

After that I found him quite easy to play with. He likes to get the ball rolled to his feet, and what great player doesn't? I found that, once I had given him the ball, it was wise to wait and see which way he would go.

If he took the ball outside the back and then down the touch-line, I knew it was a 100 to 1 chance he would take it on until he could clip it accurately into the middle to an unmarked team mate.

But, if he came inside the back, then I would run forward in a kind of scissor movement. Stan would try to hold the ball to pull the wing-half and full-back towards him, and then he would push a through ball to split the defence wide open.

The point one must bear in mind about Matthews is that he has memorised the best of decisions for the past 20 years; he holds the ball longer than most.

## Sports Diary

## TODAY

Combined Services v. Malaysia  
Cricket Association at INDOCC 10.30 a.m.

Football  
Training at Carrouge Hill, 8 p.m.

Mixed Doubles "B" Division: HRC v. YWCA, LRC v. Recreio, CYMCA v. HRC, CCC "Yellow" v. Kowloon  
Tennis

## TOMORROW

Combined Services v. Malaysia  
Cricket Association at INDOCC 10.30 a.m.

Football  
Training at Carrouge Hill, 8 p.m.

## THURSDAY

Mixed "A" Division: CYMCA v. Recreio, CCC v. YWCA, LRC v. HRC, CCC "Yellow" v. Kowloon  
Tennis

wingers and in fact hardly ever loses it at all.

So far as I am concerned I think we in England should be glad that we can still produce great footballers of the calibre of Matthews and Johnny Haynes. Why not leave it at that?

There was a flurry of excitement in the transfer market recently when Arsenal paid a big fee to Leyton Orient for Vic Groves (centre-forward, or outside-right) and Stan Charlton (left-back). Both are former amateur internationals and they played for Arsenal for the first time on November 12 at High-bury against Sheffield United.

Groves scored his first goal for Arsenal in this game. I know Vic Groves personally. He is a quiet chap, and in my opinion if he is given the chance he will be a big help to Arsenal. He is fast; takes up position intelligently; and can shoot with power and accuracy.

## TRANSFER TALK

Yet I am sure that he will deplore all the transfer talk that has been surrounding him these last few weeks. It happened to me when I was with Leicester City and it saps a player's concentration and confidence.

Do football fans appreciate what it means to a player when he is transferred for a big fee? I believe these transfer figures should be kept secret. Of course they are supposed to be, but somehow they always leak out.

At present a player gets nothing from the transfer money except a headache. He knows that he really isn't worth thousands of pounds . . . but for all time he is spoken of as a big-fee man. Every statistic he makes is magnified out of all proportion. "The harder he tries to live up to the big-money tag, the more he seems to slip from peak form."

I am sure it was not without careful thought that Leyton Orient decided to part with their two stars. A Third Division club cannot live on settlements. Yet it is the players like Groves and Charlton—and in the Northern section Ivor Broadis (Carlisle United)—who help to improve Third Division Soccer.

I sympathise with any Third Division directors who are faced with the prospect of transferring star men because their weekly attendance figures don't pay the wages bill.

Yet I think Third Division football is in for a testing time in the years ahead. Perhaps more testing than those who have weathered before.

It has been suggested that in time the TV companies may broadcast at regular intervals on Saturdays the scores in every League match. That may give the "milk and water" fans a chance to watch the game. It may also give the "milk and water" fans a chance to watch the game. It may also give the "milk and water" fans a chance to watch the game.

If this happens Third Division clubs particularly will catch the draught. I don't pretend to know the answer to this problem, but I believe it is a problem which is bound to arise in the minds of football officials in the years ahead.

1956 Davis Cup  
Challenge Round  
At Adelaide

Melbourne, Nov. 21.

The Council of the Lawn Tennis Association of Australia decided tonight, by eight votes to four, that the 1956 Davis Cup Challenge Round will be played at Adelaide on December 28, 27 and 28.

There were three applicants—Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide. Brisbane received four votes.—Reuter.

Draw For The  
Second Round  
Of FA Cup

London, Nov. 21.

Draw for the second round of the FA Cup made today resulted as follows (ties to be played on Saturday, December 10):

Tranmere Rovers v. Barrow or Crewe Alexandra; Bradford v. Workington; Bishop Auckland v. Scunthorpe United; Bradford City v. Worksop Town; Halifax Town v. Burton Albion; Southport v. Grimsby Town; Chesterfield v. Hartlepool United; Crook Town v. Derby County v. Boston United; Darlington or Carlisle United v. Accrington Stanley; York City v. Mansfield Town v. Reading v. Yeovil Town or Aldershot; Exeter City v. Hendon; Leyton Orient v. Brentford; Northampton Town v. Hastings United; Weymouth v. Southend United; Brighton and Hove v. Norwich City; Gillingham or Stourbridge Town v. Torquay United; Bedford Town v. Watford.

Replays if necessary on or before Thursday, December 15.—Reuter.

Soccer Spectators  
Gaoled For Trying  
To Lynch Referee

Moscow, Nov. 21.

The Armenian Supreme Court gave prison sentences of 20 and 25 years to a group of football spectators and ordered all their goods to be confiscated after they had been found guilty of trying to lynch a referee and of throwing stones at security forces during a match at Yerevan, the Armenian capital, it was learned here today.

The sentenced spectators had invaded the pitch during a match between the local Spartak Club and the Sverdlovsk team. The accused were described as a band of ruffians who had been in trouble with the police on previous occasions. This "wild" incident, however, was the last straw, and the court handed down a severe sentence.

JEAN SIMMONS, THE GIRL  
FROM GOLDERS GREEN, IS ABOUT  
TO BECOME A WORLD STAR

Says JOHN GAY

After five wasted years in Hollywood, appearing in pictures she wishes she'd never made, Jean Simmons, the girl from Golders Green, is about to become a world star.

And that prophecy of world stardom has come from the master star-maker himself, Sam Goldwyn.

In America they have shown the film that has put 20-year-old Jean on the pinnacle of show business. In the screen version of "Guys and Dolls," Jean plays the hard-hitting Salvation Army lassie, Sergeant Sarah Brown.

And, by general agreement, she steals the picture from Frank Sinatra and Marlon Brando. How many girls could do that?

The last time Jean sang was in her first film, aptly named "The Way to the Stars." Now by her singing and acting, Jean has reached world stardom in "Guys and Dolls." The Jean years seem to be over, at last, and the career that Hollywood nearly wrecked is now ready to reach fabulous heights.

## HER NEXT ROLE

Today Hollywood is at the feet of the girl who went to school at Cricklewood, London. Rumours about her next role are fast and thick—she will be getting the Mary Martin part in the "South Pacific" film, she will appear in "Les Girls" with Leslie Caron and Cyd Charisse. Whatever Jean decides, this girl who spent her first nine months in Hollywood completely idle can pick from a whole list of cinema "plums," but she will probably choose musical comedy.

Says Jean: "I love singing, dancing, being gay. No more heavy roles for me—if I can help it."

Jean's triumph is also a triumph for her husband, Stewart Granger. In those bad years when she was left alone in their gloomy mansion, mooping while he made film after film, "Jimmy" Granger never lost faith in her.

He told her: "You've got great talent. You can do things in front of a camera in a way that girls can't. You'll get there. Don't be silly."

Said Jean: "Thankfully he didn't put my shoulder and say: 'There, there.'"

Eighteen months ago Jean became free of all commitments

for the first time. It was a freedom gained at the cost of battles in court, battles across a table, a great many tears shed. Then, came the offer from Sam Goldwyn to make "Guys and Dolls."

## THE BATTLES

For the first time for many years, the girl who had played Ophelia to Sir Laurence Olivier's Hamlet with the assurance of a veteran, was scared.

"It wasn't the dancing that worried me," she said, "because I knew Michael Kidd was doing the choreography. I was scared of singing and speaking with a Boston voice."

"But I did play a New Englander in a previous film, so that gave me confidence. As for singing, they all wanted me to sing instead of using someone else's voice and so I did."

"For four months I worked on that film as I've never done before. Everyone helped me as much as they could. In one sequence I have to show a handy punch during a free-for-all in a Havana cabaret. Every night I practised on Jimmy and Michael Wilding. Jimmy having taught me how to punch. Boy, I never missed them once!"

Jean came to Hollywood in 1950 to make "Andros and the Lion." For nine months shooting was held up. Then Howard Hughes bought up her Rank contract. Howard gave her the full treatment—manicuring, powdering, hairdo like a poodle, massage and diet to smooth down her figure.

She became just another Hughes product, just another girl off the conveyor belt. The fresh youthfulness that won her millions of admirers was gone. The price she paid for being it was fretfulness, ill-health and bad nerves. She was so strung up she couldn't bear anyone to criticise her. And then the gossip moved in on her marriage.

Up to now her favourite film made in Hollywood was "The

Actress," with Spencer Tracy, which she was allowed to be herself. Said Jean: "I hated doing 'The Egyptian.' As for 'A Bullet is Waiting,' the less said about that the better."

"My worst moment was when I was in court, fighting to get free of my long-term contract. Howard Hughes strode up and down, tears in his eyes, as he said: 'I paid a lot for that Rank contract.' 'What am I going to tell my shareholders?' At that moment I realised the full bitterness of being sold like a piece of meat."

From that day Jean vowed: "No more long-term contracts." She has one contract to do one film annually for three years with 20th Century Fox. She is still free to make films elsewhere.

## THE HAPPINESS

The Grangers have now left their gloomy mansion home complete with swimming-pool and all the other Hollywood trappings, for a delightful rustic house in the Californian hills. It has a swimming pool, minus the vulgarities of those found in many Hollywood homes.

Today Jean is happy and contented. She now has great success, the gossip no longer snarl at her marriage, she adores her husband.

If the Grangers have children they have now learned enough about Hollywood to successfully combine career and a family.

Jean's success in "Guys and Dolls" has made Jimmy Granger the proudest husband in Hollywood. He told me: "I'm just thrilled. When it was first discussed I just hoped Jean would play Sarah Brown. My wife is brilliantly versatile. Now the whole world will see for itself."

Though America is now acclaiming Jean Simmons, her own country will have to wait. "Guys and Dolls" will not be there for another four or five months.

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for the purpose of:-

1. Receiving the Statement  
of Accounts and Report of  
the Directors for the year  
ended 30th September  
1955.
2. Electing three Directors.
3. Appointing Auditors and  
fixing their remuneration.
4. Confirming the Interim  
Dividend of 30 cents per  
share, and sanctioning the  
recommendation of the  
Directors as to the pay-  
ment of a Final Dividend  
of 80 cents per share in  
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shares and a proportionate  
amount in respect of  
partly paid shares.

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December, 1955, both days  
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GOERING'S WEALTH STILL  
MISSINGDenazification Court  
To Cease Work  
At Year's End

Berlin, Nov. 21.

The wealth of Reich-Marshal Hermann Goering and Robert Ley, Hitler's Labour Front leader, may pass to their heirs if no legal action is taken by the end of this year.

The Berlin denazification court, which may order the property of major Nazis to be confiscated by the state to compensate for their wrongdoings, is required by law to end its activities before next January 1. It is the last surviving denazification court in Germany, and has about 100 cases to deal with, including those of Goering and Ley, in the few weeks left.

But although Goering alone is believed to have left a fortune of over 11,000,000 reichsmarks, in camouflaged accounts, shares or real estate, no one knows, or will say, what has become of it.

Herr Alwin Caesar Hardtke, president of the denazification court, has admitted frankly that they have been able to find out very little concerning the whereabouts of these millions. He does not blame Goering's wife, Emmi, or other relatives who have so far laid no claim to their inheritance, for thus failing to provide evidence against their future interests. Legally, there is at present nothing to confiscate.

## Indignant

But many Germans are indignant that Hitler's most be-  
nevolent supporter, as well as  
Ley, one of his most ruthless  
co-operators, may still benefit  
their heirs, while thousands of  
lesser Nazis have paid the full  
price for their sins.

The problem has been taken  
up during the past weeks by  
Herr Joachim Lipschitz, the  
energetic, 37-year-old, West  
Berlin City Councillor for  
Internal Affairs. Herr Lipschitz,  
a Social Democrat who lost an  
arm during World War II, has  
tabled a law which would give  
the denazification court another  
12 months in which to deal with  
cases still pending. This law is  
at present still in the com-  
mittee stage, but Herr Lipschitz  
hopes and believes that it will  
be passed in time.

The denazification court,  
called "Spruchkammer" (verdict  
chamber), is not a legal body in  
the normal sense, but a postwar  
institution which many po-  
litical leaders think should now dis-  
appear.

Herr Hardtke himself is not a  
lawyer, but a state employee.  
His two fellow jurors are named  
by political parties or trade  
unions and appointed by the  
municipal council. There is no  
prosecutor at the court's hear-  
ings. This has proved awkward  
in several past hearings when  
former Nazis engaged to defend  
themselves, who brought up  
so many procedural points that  
the court often had to postpone  
hearings to take legal advice it-  
self.

## Simple Task

The court's task is simpler  
when there is no live defendant  
and hence no defence, as in the  
case of Robert Ley, committed  
suicide in a Nuremberg war  
crimes prison. He had made a

CAR WHICH  
RAN AWAY

Lee Yun-man, of 60, High  
Street, ground floor, was fined  
\$25 by Mr Thomas Tam at  
Central this morning for leaving  
his car in such a state so as to  
endanger the lives and properties  
of others.

Insp. C. D. Mayer said that  
on September 8, when defendant  
was turning into Old Bailey  
Street from Caine Road, a  
taxi driver on test ran into  
his car.

Defendant left his car to  
speak to the taxi driver, and  
it started rolling down the  
slope of Old Bailey Street. It  
tumbled into another car,  
damaging the fender, then roll-  
ing further on, dented the side  
of a second car, finally coming  
to a stop against a tree.

Defendant claimed that he put  
on his hand brake before he got  
out of the vehicle, but admitted  
that due to his excitement, he  
might not have fixed it prop-  
erly.

Insp. Mayer said that defen-  
dant had a good record, having  
been fined only once for dis-  
obeying a traffic signal since he  
obtained his license in 1942.

will on January 18, 1943, leav-  
ing property valued at 1,000,000  
reichsmarks to several heirs, in-  
cluding his five children.  
None of the heirs appeared at  
the hearing, although they had  
been publicly summoned. The  
court did not know their ad-  
dresses, nor did it know where  
the 1,000,000 reichsmarks were.  
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registered articles are generally  
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shown below. Particulars regard-  
ing parcel mails can be ascertain-  
ed by enquiry at any post office.

## Frick's Estate

Another Nazi whose name  
Herr Hardtke hopes soon to  
bring before the court is that of  
the late Wilhelm Frick, the  
former Reich Minister of the  
Interior, who held a million  
reichsmarks' worth of shares.

Denazification proceedings have  
been held recently against  
Joseph Goebbels, Hitler's pro-  
paganda minister, and Ernst  
Kaltenbrunner, the state securi-  
ty chief. Both were declared  
major Nazis and their property  
confiscated.—China Mail Special.



## Mail Notices

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shown below are those for un-  
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**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22**  
By Air  
Philippines, 6 p.m.  
Thailand, Burma, India, Pakistan,  
Middle East, Africa, Great Britain  
& Europe, 6 p.m.  
Canada, 6 p.m.  
Japan, 6 p.m.

By Surface  
Japan, Hawaii, U.S.A., C. & S.  
America, 4 p.m.  
Macao, 6 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23**  
By Air  
Formosa, Okinawa, 8 a.m.  
Indo-China, 10 a.m.  
U.S.A., 11 a.m.  
N. Borneo, Australia, New Zea-  
land, noon.  
Thailand, Malaya, Indonesia,  
Ceylon, 2 p.m.  
Formosa, U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m.  
Thailand, Pakistan, Middle East,

Africa & Europe, 6 p.m.  
Korea, 6 p.m.  
By Surface  
China, People's Republic, 8:30 a.m.  
North Borneo, 9 a.m.  
Macao, 2 p.m.  
Indonesia, 3 p.m.  
Malaya, Ceylon, Aden, Middle  
East, Great Britain & Europe, 4  
p.m.  
Thailand, 4 p.m.  
Macao, 6 p.m.

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24**  
By Air

Peking, Shanghai, Hankow, 5 a.m.  
Japan, 8 a.m.  
Indo-China, France, 10 a.m.  
Thailand, Pakistan, Lebanon,  
Germany, Great Britain, noon.  
Philippines, 1 p.m.  
Pakistan, Middle East, Africa,  
Great Britain, Europe, 6 p.m.  
Thailand, Burma, India, 6 p.m.

By Surface

China, People's Republic, 8:30 a.m.  
Macao, 4 p.m.  
Philippines, 3 p.m.  
Macao, 6 p.m.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25**  
By Surface

China, People's Republic, 8:30 a.m.  
Macao, 2 p.m.  
Philippines, 3 p.m.  
Indo-China, 3 p.m.  
Macao, 6 p.m.

No Wings  
Needed

## AUSTRIANS REJOICE

'Dancing' Horses'  
Back In Vienna

Vienna, Nov. 21.

The return of the famous "Dancing Horses" of the ancient Spanish Court Riding school in Vienna has given the people of this city as much joy as the re-opening of the State Opera House.

Like that event, the horses' return is regarded as one of the most tangible and delightful signs of the final liberation of Austria.

For ten years, the beautiful, highly trained stallions of the school had been in exile. They were taken away in 1945, when the Russians were shelling the city, and found refuge at Wells, in Upper Austria, and given protection by the United States Forces in Austria, and especially by their commandant at that time General George E. (Blood and Guts) Patton. Otherwise, they might have been taken as "German assets" or merely seized to replace Russian, Hungarian or Rumanian horses killed or lost during the war.

The "levade", a position shown in many of the statues made of these famous stallions, stood on their hind legs and hopped forward in the "courbette" and jumped clear of the ground and landed out with their hind legs in the "capriole" (See Picture).

Finally, there was a display of riding which can only be compared with ballet. Keeping marvellous time to the music, the riders danced round the magnificent hall, marked time, changed direction, moved sideways or diagonally across the hall, weaved an intricate pattern without over a collision or a mistiming.

## First Display

On Wednesday, October 26, the School Director, Colonel Alois Podhajsky, announced to President Theodor Koerner and a brilliant invited company that the School had returned to its historic home in the Vienna Palace. On October 30, the Colonel and his riders gave their first public display in Vienna for over ten years.

On each occasion horses and riders received an enthusiastic welcome. First they showed off with the most beautiful precision controlled movements at the walk, trot and canter. The pas de trols and quadrilles brought round after round of applause.

Then came the "exercises above the ground" in which the horses rose on their haunches in

## World's Oldest

This Spanish Court Riding school is accounted the oldest riding school in the world. It was founded in Vienna by the Emperor Maximilian II (1527-1576), who brought some of the famous "Iberian" breed of war horses from Spain. By its traditions go back some 2,500 years to the horsemen of Greece. There is no written manual for the training of men or horses, but all instructions have been handed down from generation to generation by word of mouth.

Maximilian founded a Court stud at Lipizza, near Trieste, then Austrian territory, and the breed of horses evolved there is still known as Lipizzaner.

The riders in this school are mostly mature men of long training. They wear the Napoleon-like two cornered cocked hats, the long brown frock coats, the tight fitting white breeches, and the shiny leather top-boots of the old Court riders of 200 years and more ago.

But the dainty movements and dance-like steps of the stallions are not just a circus show, as some spectators seem to think. The Spanish Riding School training is based partly on the natural movements of the horse and partly on the training used in medieval days for tournament and battle horses. Thus, the coubette movement was used for the knight to attack his enemy while protected by the horse's body, and in the capriole, the horse drove its enemies coming from the rear by lashing out with its hind legs.

## Saved School

While in exile at Wells, the riding school was sent on several world tours, while in England, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, after a command performance, rode the stallion Prince Tricorne, which is the personal mount of Colonel Podhajsky. The school also visited France, Germany, Belgium, the Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Portugal, the United States and Canada.

Colonel Podhajsky can claim to have saved the school from destruction. Despite strong opposition from the Nazi commanders in Vienna, he managed to save the stallions of the School and get them to Upper Austria, where the Russian troops were already storming the Austrian capital.

Then he succeeded, by a special show, in interesting the well-known horseman, General Patton, of the United States Forces, Austria, in the school. Patton sent lorries to fetch back the stud of the school, which had been evacuated to Hosten, in Czechoslovakia, then Russian occupied. They were taken to Upper Syria, then under British occupation, where the breeding of Lipizzaners has gone on ever since.

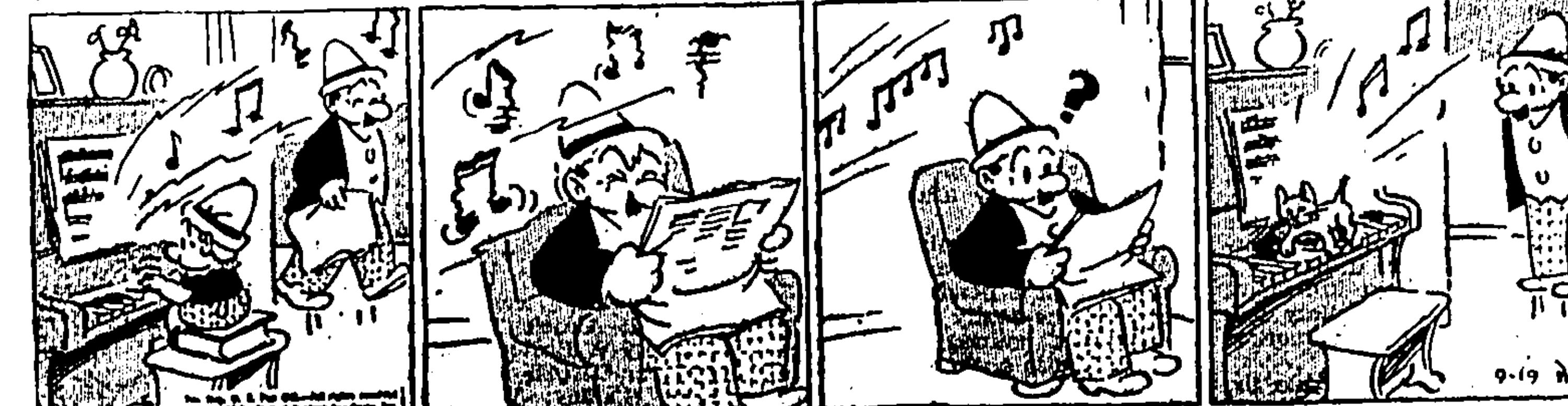
## Hall Restored

Now, the horses and riders are back in the delightfully proportioned and carefully restored Riding Hall built in baroque style to the design of the famous court architect, Fischer von Erlach, in 1718. Like the Hofburg Palace, winter residence of the former Austro-Hungarian Imperial Family, of which it forms part, the Riding School and its horses are a piece of the history of Austria, of which the citizens, conservative and socialist alike, are justly proud.—China Mail Special.

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## TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

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COTTON MARKETS  
Two-Pronged  
Price  
Movement

New York, Nov. 21.  
Cotton traders today watched a two-pronged price movement as trading moved along at a slower pace.

While the nearby December delivery maintained a steady rise most of the day, the later months were lower and remained on the defensive.

At the close the list ruled up 8 to 12 points. The market closed 12 points higher, New Orleans closed up 8 to 10 points. Accumulated weekly hedge selling, plus reaching by recent buyers, and selling, operated against rallies on the 1956 contracts.

December responded to covering before that notice on Wednesday and the ensuing Thanksgiving Day holiday.

Traders expected few, if any, in the futures market. The cotton futures market was up 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cents. This was a 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cent rise in the spot market at the start of trading today.

Atlanta reports a mild demand for cotton. The market was somewhat flat. The report added that they will be able to buy at a lower price. Many have reported numerous mill orders for spring and early summer shipment. Quotations are in the medium grades. High grade qualities are scarce and bring fancy prices when sold.

Trading volume and open interest in the Exchange today were:

Month	Volume	Open Interest
Dec	14,500	327,000
Jan	48,000	474,000
Feb	12,000	246,000
Mar	31,000	225,000
Apr	9,000	166,000
May	4,000	31,000
Jun	1,000	100,000
Total	162,000	1,024,000

Prices of futures closed today as follows:

Month	Price
Dec	33.30
Jan	34.20
Feb	32.70-72
Mar	33.10
Apr	33.10
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